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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1 4

Part B. for February 1912

SUBJECT.

Triennial lease of all toddy shops in the shops from 1912-13.

From the Excise Cmr.
No 3843 d. 17 11 11.
With reference to yr No. RE 615-24/S.R. 69. 06-5 d. 5/8/08, proposs to sell all toddy shops throughout the province for a period of 3 years from 1912-13 and states that the experiment tried in certain taluks during the past 3 years has answered well and the Deputy Cmrs are unanimous in proposing that effect should be given to the system as early as possible + requests early orders on the matter.

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File No. 115-11.

FILE HEADING.

Triennial lease of all toddy shops in the State from 1912-13.

From The Excise Comr in Mysore

No. 3843 Dated 17/11/11 Received 18/11/11

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Cir. No. 7615-24/S/M 09-10-5 dt 5/8/08, proposes to sell all toddy shops throughout the province for a period of 3 years from 1912 & State-trial the experiment tried in certain Talukas during the past 2 yrs has succeeded well & the Comrs are unanimous in recommending that effect should be given to the system as early as possible. Also requests early orders in the matter.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

(1) Files S/M 09-10 & 11 & 10-11 relating to Contain full discussion on the merits of the proposal to introduce long term

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leases.

(2) The Government was invited to selected Talukas of all districts only in respect of date toddy shops - In the letter under reference however the Excise Commissioner proposes to fix the period at 3 years in respect of all kinds of toddy shops (ie. including Bazaar)

(3) He has submitted no detailed reports discussing the advantages that the licensees had by the long term leases, it but has simply said that the system has answered well. The by Commissioners are it is reported unanimous in the opinion that the system of long lease should be introduced as early as possible

(4) A draft is however submitted embodying the Excise Commissioners proposal for a fresh or other orders

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The change proposed is by way of exception and

(5) The question has been discussed

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fully and in all its aspects in the notes in file no 69-06 put up below Attention is invited to the order of His Highness dated the 24th July 1908 directing that the whole question should be reconsidered after some experience is gained of the working of the triennial system.

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(6) Only one point need be mentioned here by way of addition to the notes in the file below. Since the issue of the order of 1908 we have raised the true tap on all toddy trees except Bagani and it is understood that the policy of Govt is to further raise it so that the revenue from true-tap may bear a higher proportion than it now does to the total revenue from toddy. This is bound to react, in course of time, unfavorably on the income from Shop-rent. Whether ~~we may lose by~~ this, however, is the avowed object of the policy - the idea being that toddy revenue should consist more and more of true-tap which is a comparatively stable item than of Shop-rent which is not quite so - True tap will respond more readily to fluctuations in the legitimate demand than shop rent. CR

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liable to violent fluctuations every year.

(1) There is seems to be therefore less risk in ~~a~~ introducing the triennial system now than there was 3 years ago. If necessary the Experiment may be given a further trial ~~on~~ but on an Extended scale before the System is adopted throughout the State – e.g. by introducing it to two or three Districts one of them being a Malnad District – or, (which is perhaps a less desirable alternative) the period may be curtailed to two years.

23/11/11. SR

Sec'y.

Subd. to the under Sec'y.
R. V. Rao
23-11-11.

To Delhi 23.11.11 (8) Before the proposal is sanctioned a more detailed ~~det~~ report may be called for in regard to the working of the experiment sanctioned in 1908.

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11/12/11

Delhi

11/12/11

14447/Delhi 11.12 (10) Please call for Papers dealt with called for dealt with & furnish decision as quickly as possible

Delhi 17/12/11

(11) Please call for report very early

17/12/11

Recd 22/12/11.

22/12/11.

Put up draft early

22/12/11

Draft subd

22/12 22.12.11.

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(before transmission)

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2. To the Excise Comr.
No. R. 2661 dt 22-12-11
Requests him to submit a detailed report in regard to the working of the experiment of the 3 years lease for Toddy Shops with his opinion as to how the proposal will be affected by the further raising of the tree-tax.

3. From the Excise Comr
No 5227 dt 31/12
States that the long term leases tried in some taluks have gained favour with the renters in giving them a spirit of tenure & with the officers in lessening the work of the annual auction without unduly helping vested interests to grow up & that in his opinion it would not be advisable to raise the tree tax until the 3 years 1915-16 - Also requests early orders in the matter

(13) Submitted for orders. This is another Kerala [illegible] report called for from the Excr.

[illegible]
RR.
13.1.12

(14) The report is not as full as might have been desired.

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Submitted for orders. [Early orders are necessary as the sale notifications are published about the end of March]

13/1/12

Please send me next three days.
16/1/12

Seen

Maybe kept till Dewan's return.
16.1.12

(15) The report gives no details but the Ex Comm reiterates the opinion that the system is working well. The system may be extended to all Toddy shops in the State for a period of three years from 1912 – 1915.

(16) If any increase of tree tax is considered necessary it may be introduced at the end of the triennium. There is no definite proposal before Govt to raise the tree tax in the immediate future.

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5-2-12

(17) The system of triennial contracts may be extended to all the Taluks.

C.S.B.
2/2/12

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(18) No increase of tree tax can be made until the end of the year 1914/15. This does not matter much

B.V.N.

(19) I would rather not extend the triennial.

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Systems - Let the Shops already treated under the triennial system be continued to be so treated until further orders (i.e. for another 3 years) - Hereafter Shops will be annual leases

Sd 6.2.12

(20) Put up Dap - Submit to DSH

CH 8/2/12

Recd 7/2/12

Draft SH 8/2/12

Approved

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To issue today Rd 9.2.12

Approved HH 8/2/12

Issue

CH 8/2/12

SH 9/2/12

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4	To the Excise Com.✓ no. 7E 3155 dy 10-2-1912 States that ~~that~~ ~~are~~ of opinion ~~that~~ the system of triennial leases cannot be extended at present to all toddy shops in the state ~~that~~ while the shops now worked under the triennial system may continue to be so worked for another 3 years the rest shall be leased annually

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Urgent

(1)

No 3843.

OFFICE OF THE EXCISE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated. 17th November *19* 11.

DIARY No. 1762

1911-1912
SECTION S.R
FILE No. 115-11
SERIAL No. 1.

From

H. H. Sparkes, Esquire,

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Offg: *Secretary to the Government of*
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

Cpo.

I have the honor to inform you that under Notification No. Fl.615-24/S.R.69-06-5 dated 5th August 1908 I propose to sell all Toddy shops throughout the Province for a period of three years commencing from next sales i.e., 1912-13. I may state that the experiment tried in certain Taluks during the past three years has answered well and the Deputy Commissioners of the Districts are unanimous in proposing that this system should be given effect to as early as possible. If Government approve of this being carried out I shall be glad to hear as soon as possible as it will take sometime to reassign the groves throughout the Province for this lengthened period.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

H H Sparkes

Excise Commissioner.

19 11.

From

H. H. Sparkes Esquire

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esquire B.A.,

Offg: *Secretary to the Government of*
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl. and Rev. Depts.

Dated

Despatched 17th November 1911.

Received

General No. S 3 4 -

Enclosure No. —

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Proposing to sell all toddy shops throughout the province for a period of three years commencing from next sales i e 1912 — 13.

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No. H 2661

General and Revenue Secretariat
(Secy Rev)
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To 22-12-11

The Excise Com
in Mysore

22 Dec 11

Signed by W Hirigoumath

Sir,

With reference to your letter no. 3843 dt 17-11-11 regarding the proposal to sell all toddy shops in the State for a period of three years from 1912-13, I am directed to request you to submit a detailed report at an early date in regard to the working of the experiment sanctioned in the Govt order of the 5th Aug 1908, with your opinion as to how the proposal will be affected by the further raising of the tree-tax

I have &c
Sd/-
for Secy: Rev

over.

SUBJECT.

AAG (14) 22/12
RR 22-12-11.

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N 5227

OFFICE OF THE EXCISE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated 8th January.....19 12.

From

H. H. Sparkes, Esquire,

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To

The *Secretary to the Government of*
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

In answer to your letter No. Fl.2661/S.R.115-11-2, dated the 22nd Instant, I have the honor to inform that as already reported the experiment sanctioned in Government Order No. Fl.615-24/ S. R. 69-06-5 of the 5th August 1908 was tried in certain Taluks of the Province and found to work so well during the past three years, that the system has become sufficiently popular with the renters in - - giving them a fixity of tenure and with the Officers in lessening their anxieties of the annual auction without unduly helping vested interests to grow up.

2. As regards the effect of enhanced rates of tree-tax on toddy trees sanctioned in Government Order No. Fl.4990/S.R.116-10-3, dated the 27th March 1911 on the proposed extension of the lease, it may be stated that these enhanced rates will come into vogue throughout the Province from 1st July 1912 when all the long leases will have fallen in; but if it is contemplated by Government to again raise the

the tree-tax within the next three years i.e. from 1912 to 1915, a clause may be inserted in the Sale Notification that the shops will be sold subject to such enhanced rates. As this may possibly tend to lower the bids it would not, in my opinion, be advisable to raise the tax until 1915.

3. As instructions will have to be issued for the preparation of lists of assignment of groves for the three years now proposed, I beg that early orders of Government may be obtained in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Excise Commissioner.

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Diary No. of letter replied to 2213

No. H 3155

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To 9 10 February 1912

The Excise Comr

in Mysore

Sir,

With reference to the Correspondence ending with your letter No 5227 dated 8/4/12, I am directed to state that Govt are of opinion that the system of triennial leases cannot ~~now~~ be extended at present to all the toddy shops

over

Date of issue 10-2-12

Signed by W Thirty amanuensis

On the Question of introducing a system of triennial leases of toddy shops in the State

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in the State and that
while the Shop is now
worked under the
Tridennial System may
continue to be so worked
for another 3 years
the yard should be ~~worked~~
leased annually

Steward (
Stewards orders)

List of enclosures,